Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar: What action has been taken on the representation ?

Mr. James Simpson : The whole question of hospitals in the State is under the consideration of the Government, and the Parur Hospital will be given its due consideration in the new scheme when it is taken up.

Mr. K. R. Elenkath (*Kalkulam and Vilavankod* cum *Neyyattinkara*) : May I know the distance between the septic ward and the general wards ?

Mr. James Simpson: I claim notice.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail (*Nominated*) : May I know whether, except in the General Hospital, Trivandrum, there are honorary house-surgeons working in any other hospital in the State ?

Mr. James Simpson : Is that in order, Sir ? The question specifically relates to the Parur Hospital.

President It is not in order.

Pallivasal Hydro-Electric Scheme.

28. ***Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) when the Pallivasal Hydro-Electric Scheme is expected to be completed ;

(*b*) the total expenditure so far iccurred on the scheme ; and

(*c*) the date on which power is expected to be supplied according to the original forecast ?

Mr. K. P. P. Menon: (*a*) Before the end of 1938.

(*b*) Rs. 70,15,536-20-0 to the end of Edavom 1112.

(*c*) January 1937.

Mr. T. Mahomed Ismail : May I know the reasons for the delay ?

Mr. K. P. P. Menon : Unfortunately, difficulties arose, one in regard to the foundation of the power house and the other in regard to the tunnel.

Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair : With reference to part (*b*), may I know whether Major Howard and Sgr. Morsello were paid any fees ?

Mr. K. P. P. Menon : Yes, Sir.

Mr. Nedumangad R. Kesavan Nair : May I know the amounts ?

Mr. K. P. P. Menon : I claim notice.

Statement, by caste, of Assistant Surgeons.

29. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan** (*Karunagapally, Kartikapally and Ambalapuzha* cum *Shertala*) : Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a statement, by caste, of the Assistant Surgeons in the Medical Department?

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Mr. James Simpson: The statement * is placed on the table.

Mr. M. S. Anirudhan: May I know the date on which an Ezhava was appointed as Assistant Surgeon?

Mr. James Simpson: I claim notice.

List, by caste, of candidates selected for admission to the Madras Medical College.

30. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan:** Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a list, by caste, of the candidates selected by them ever since they took up the responsibility of selecting the candidates for the Madras Medical College?

Mr. James Simpson: The list † is placed on the table.

Officers responsible for the get-up of the Temple Entry Stamps.

31. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan:** Will the Government be pleased to state the names of officers who were chiefly responsible for the get-up of the Temple Entry Stamps?

Rao Bahadur A. Rengaswmi Aiyar (*Financial Secretary to Government*): 1. The designs were drawn by the Engraver in the Stamp Manufactory.

2. The blocks were prepared at Madras under the supervision of the Superintendent, School of Arts.

Consultation with Philatelist before issue of the Temple Entry Stamps.

32. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan:** Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have consulted any philatelist of merit before the Temple Entry Stamps were issued?

Rao Bahadur A. Rengaswami Aiyar: The answer is in the negative.

Mr. M. S. Anirudhan: May I know why the Government did not consult any philatelist before the Temple Entry Stamps were issued?

Rao Bahadur A. Rengaswami Aiyar: We had no time, Sir.

List of Temple Entry Stamps printed.

33. ***Mr. M. S. Anirudhan:** Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a list showing the number of Temple Entry Stamps printed by them and the cost thereof?

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* *Vide* Appendix II Page.
† *Vide* Appendix III Page.

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Preference will be given to Travancoreans.

The primary duties of this officer will be the management and control of the Trivandrum and Quilon Electric Supply Undertakings in addition to the supervision of the electrical installations in the Government buildings in the various parts of the State and also the management of the Trivandrum Telephone Exchange.

A thorough knowledge of internal combustion engines, high tension equipment and the construction and maintenance of distribution net work is most essential.

The selected candidate will work under the direction of the Electrical Engineer to Government.

Applications should reach the undersigned on or before the 25th October 1934 and should be accompanied by copies of three recent testimonials. The selected candidate will be expected to join duty forthwith.

Apendix II.

Vide Answer to Question No. 29

Statement, by caste, of Assistant Surgeons in the Medical Department.

A.	HINDU.		24
	Brahmin	7	
	Nayar	13	
	Other Hindu	3	
	Ezhava	1	
B.	CHRISTIANS.		19
	Jacobite	3	
	Marthomite	5	
	Syriac Catholic	1	
	Latin Catholic	1	
	South Indian United Church	2	
	Other Christians	7	

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